

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 1800 March 26 2016 to 0600 March 27 2016



San Bernardino County Fire units operating at a multi-patient, single vehicle rollover on I-15 3/26/15

Photo Credit: SBCoFD/Twitter

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## National News – Significant Events

### **Missing U.S. couple died in Brussels attacks, family says**

(WP) Stephanie and Justin Shults, an American couple living in Brussels who had been missing since the attacks in the Belgian capital, were declared dead on Saturday, according to members of Justin Shults's family. "We found out today that cowards took my brother's life," Shults's brother, Levi Sutton, posted on his Twitter profile. In another posting, he wrote: "The world lost two amazing people today. It's not fair." Relatives and friends of Justin Shults also posted memorials and notices of the couple's death on his mother, Sheila Shell's Facebook page. The Shultses never planned on living abroad, but when the chance to move to Brussels fell in their lap two years ago, they decided to embrace the spirit of adventure and go. On Tuesday morning, the pair were at the airport, dropping off Stephanie's mother, Carolyn Moore, to catch a flight home to Kentucky after a week's visit. They parked the car, walked her into the terminal to get her boarding pass, said goodbye and walked away, according to Moore's sister and Stephanie's aunt, Betty Gragg Newsom. Then the first blasts of coordinated terrorist attacks in Brussels by the Islamic State ripped through the airport's departure hall.. On Friday morning, State Department officials said that at least two Americans had been confirmed dead in the blasts without listing their identities — raising speculation that Stephanie and Justin, the only American citizens to have been identified in the news media, might be among the deceased. But as the day wore on, it appeared that the announcement also could be referring to Alexander Pinczowski, 29, and Sascha Pinczowski, 28, Dutch nationals who lived in New York. But all involved had already ridden out a heartbreaking moment of dashed hope, after some of Justin's family reported receiving information that the couple had been found alive. Toner told reporters that "we certainly apologize for any misunderstanding," but he would not confirm that any department officials had contacted Shell or told her that her son had been found.

## International News – Significant Events

### **Brussels attacks: 'Dirty bomb' terror fear as guard from nuclear plant found murdered**

(Irish Independent) A security guard at a Belgian nuclear research facility was murdered two days after the Brussels bombings, deepening fears that Islamist terrorists are plotting attacks on nuclear sites. Didier Prospero, a G4S employee, was shot dead at his home in Froidchapelle 70 miles south of the capital, less than 24 hours after officials stripped several workers of their security passes at two nuclear plants. Mr Prospero, 45, was found in his bathroom by his three children as they returned home from school on Thursday. He had been shot four times and his sheepdog Beauce lay dead next to him. The killing follows a string of security scares around Belgium's nuclear infrastructure. In November it was found that an Isil cell in Brussels kept a top Belgian nuclear scientist under video surveillance. The murder heightened fears that terrorists were planning a radioactive "dirty" bomb but apparently dropped the idea when security was increased at nuclear plants this month after intelligence warnings. Belgian authorities have previously played down the risk posed by jihadists to such facilities. The surveillance footage was only acknowledged by officials after news was leaked to a paper. It is believed to have been taken by Ibrahim and Khalid el-Bakraoui, two of last week's suicide bombers, using a camera in bushes outside the scientist's house. When the news broke interior minister Jan Jambon rejected pleas to deploy troops as "nothing indicates a threat". Two weeks later he sent 140 soldiers to five facilities. Belgian prosecutors said Mr Prospero did not work at a nuclear plant, but at a nuclear medical research facility about 40km from his home. But G4S bosses said he was a general patrol officer who did not have access to nuclear facilities or guard nuclear sites. A spokesman added his pass was not missing. It is not the first time that nuclear fears have been raised. In 2013, an engineer from Doel 4, a reactor near Anvers, was sacked over fears that he had been radicalised after he refused to shake his superior's hand. He was later identified as brother-in-law of Azzedine Kbir Bounekoub, a jihadist who left to join Isil in Syria in 2012 and had frequently called on sympathisers to launch terror attacks.



# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Train Derailment: SPILL 16-1864, Roseville, Placer County**

On 03/27/16 at 0146 hours an empty flat railcar derailed in the upright position within the J.R. Davis Railyard in Roseville, Placer County. The incident occurred at or near milepost marker 104.46 of the Martinez subdivision. The derailment took place during a bad order car setting. A crew member (possibly the conductor) pulled a pin causing one empty flat railcar to roll approximately 7-8 car lengths down the track prior to it running over a derail device. The flat railcar came to a stop shortly after derailment. There were no injuries or hazardous materials release involved. The manager of Terminal Operations is on-scene. A re-railment is pending during the upcoming daylight hours.

## **Weather of Concern**

### **Northern California**

- A cool weather system will bring some showers to Northern California today

### **Southern California**

- A High Wind Warning is in effect for areas in San Bernardino, Riverside, and San Diego Counties

### **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

[http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php)

### **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought.

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:**

#### **Medford Weather:**

A cold upper level trough is now over the coast of Canada and will track southeast into Oregon tonight then Nevada on Monday. This will result in below normal temperatures and breezy northerly winds for our area with mostly cloudy to cloudy skies a high probability of occasional showers and snow showers of very light intensity through Monday. Moisture wrapping around the back side of the trough will continue a slight chance to chance of very light showers and snow showers mainly East of the Cascades Monday night into Tuesday night. A ridge will follow Wednesday into early Saturday with warm and dry weather. Model differences increase regarding the forecast for next weekend but the general trend will be for the upper level pattern to become more progressive with frontal systems of weak to moderate strength arriving in a Westerly flow.

#### **Eureka Weather:**

A cold front slowly moving south over the area will bring some showers and cooler temperatures today and Monday. A warming trend begins Tuesday as a high pressure builds over the West Coast.

#### **Reno Weather:**

Mild temperatures continue today with breezy winds this afternoon and evening. A low and its accompanying cold front drop south early Monday morning. Bands of snow are likely with the front. While the exact location of the heaviest snow remains in question, it will likely be in the vicinity of the I-80 and Highway 50 corridors. The upper low will meander around the region through Wednesday with scattered showers each day and below average temperatures.

#### **San Francisco Weather:**

Cooler conditions are forecast across the region today through Wednesday as an upper trough develops over the western United States. Precipitation associated with this trough is expected to remain to the north and east of the San Francisco bay area and central coast. Blustery conditions can be expected near the coast during the afternoon and early evening hours both today and Monday. A warming trend is forecast for the second half of the week.

#### **Sacramento Weather:**

A cool weather system from the North may bring a few showers across the Northern Mountains, Northern Sierra and foothills and the Eastern Sacramento Valley today with a slight chance of thunderstorms over the valley and foothills. The Mountain shower threat continues through mid-week with minor snow impacts expected over the Sierra. Dry with warmer temperatures the end of the week with next chance of precipitation early next week.



# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:**

#### **Hanford Weather:**

High pressure will continue to provide dry weather and above normal temperatures through the remainder of this weekend. Temperatures will cool to a little below average by Monday with a chance for light showers mainly over the Sierra Nevada.

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

#### **Los Angeles Weather:**

A cooling trend will begin on Sunday followed by below normal temperatures for early next week as low pressure approaches from the North. An increase in cloud coverage is likely through Monday as well. Warming is expected for the second half of next week as high pressure builds aloft.

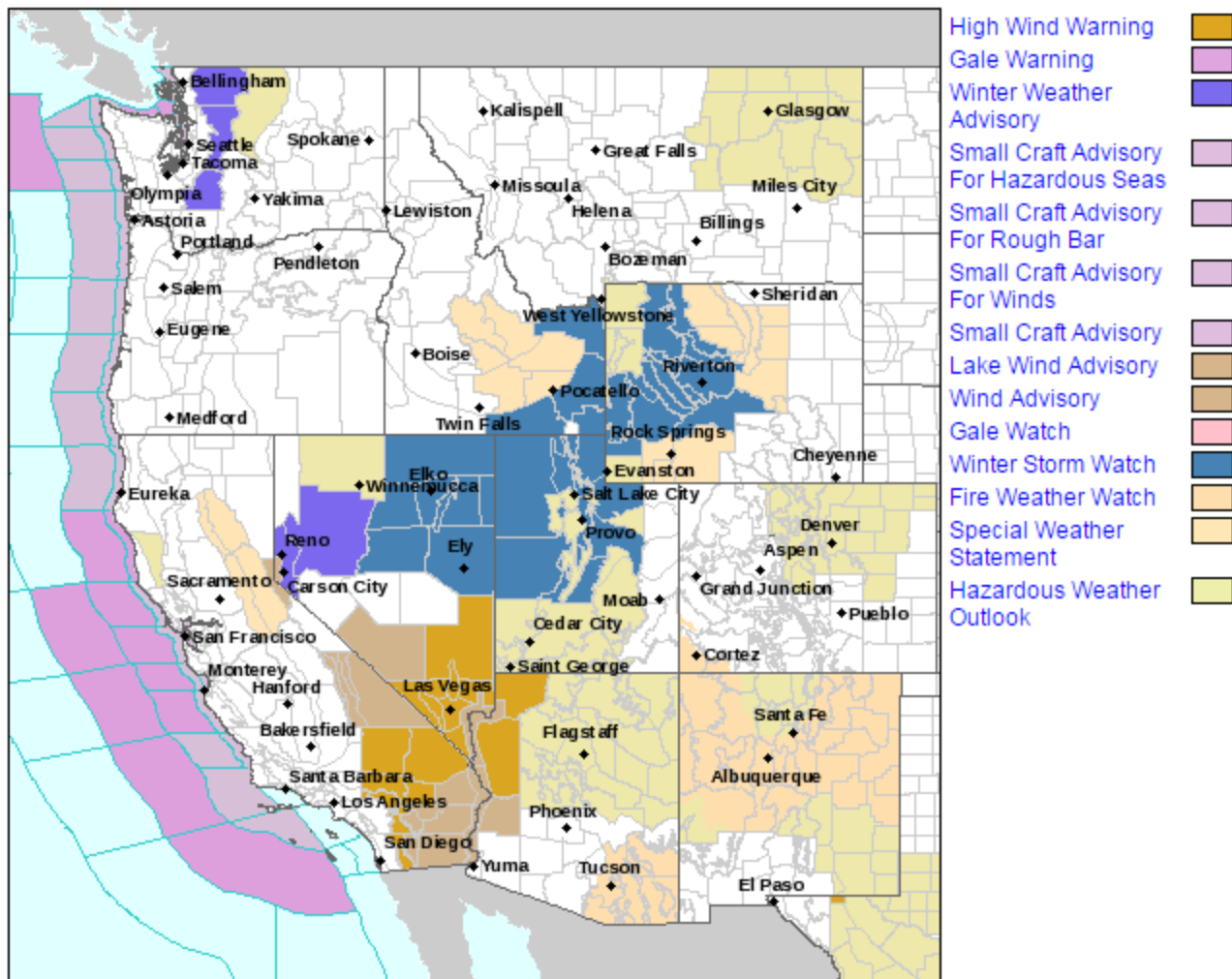
#### **Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:**

Dry weather will continue into tonight under weakening high pressure. For Monday through Wednesday a cold low pressure system moving southward through the Western States will bring stronger onshore flow for Southern California with cooling increasing humidities with small chances for mainly light precipitation along and west of the mountains and periods of gusty West winds in the mountains and deserts strongest for Monday afternoon and night. Warmer and dry towards the end of next week as high pressure aloft returns along the West Coast.

#### **Southeast California Weather:**

Quiet weather is expected today before a more potent low pressure system will impact our weather Monday into Friday bringing strong gusty winds Monday afternoon isolated precipitation chances Tuesday through Thursday and much cooler temperatures. Warmer and drier conditions are expected late as high pressure begins to build into the area from the West with high temperatures climbing back into the 80s by Saturday.

# STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Mar, 27th 2016 at 7:48:11 am MDT



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GOVERNOR'S OFFICE  
OF EMERGENCY SERVICES



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 1**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>



# **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC and will be held once per month.



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### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

**A total of 61 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:**

- 27 Counties: Butte, Colusa, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 13 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).



**Mission:**

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

*We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.*